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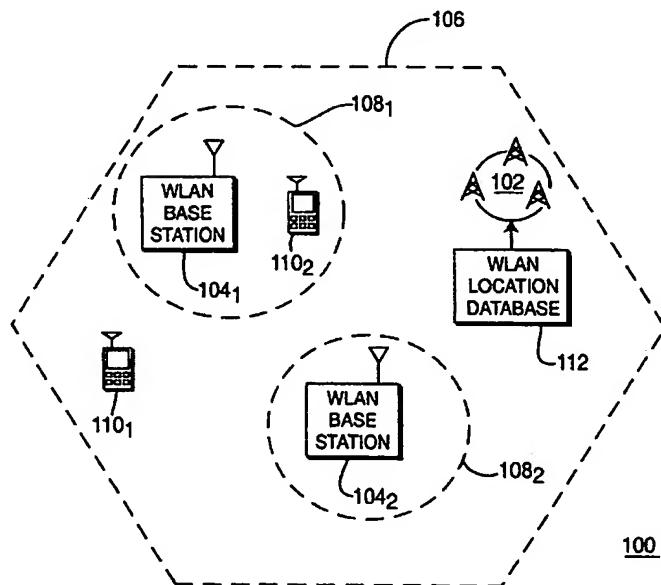
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(57) **Abstract:** A method for locating a wireless local area network WLAN transmitting (31) a request to a wireless service provider of a wireless network for a location of the wireless local area network (WLAN), and receiving (37) from the wireless service provider the location of the wireless local area network (WLAN). An apparatus includes a wireless transceiver (206) for transmitting and receiving communication over a wireless network, and a controller (210) for processing a request for a location of a wireless local area network WLAN (104) and processing receiving from over the wireless network the location of the wireless local area network WLAN (104).

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